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ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE HERALD is authorized to make the following announcements subject to the action of the Democratic Primary:

For District Attorney—6th Dist.

R. L. CORBAN *
of Jefferson County.
MARION W. REILLY,
of Adams.
WM. F. TUCKER,
of Wilkinson.
R. E. BENNETT
Of Franklin

For State Senator—7th Dist.

ROBERT E. JACKSON
of Amite County.
POLK TALBERT
of Amite County.

For Representative.

CLAUD L. FENN
WM. H. GRIFFIN.
DELOS H. CASSELS
E. BUNYAN CARTER
J. H. PARSONS
W. L. CAUSEY

For County Attorney.

CHARLES T. GORDON
J. M. FORMAN

For Sheriff.

E. A. CAUSEY
W. H. BATES
C. E. DRUMMOND
S. C. RICHMOND

For Circuit Clerk.

J. J. STRINGFIELD
L. W. S. HANCOCK
WILLIAM H. WEBB
E. G. NELSON

For Assessor.

RUSSELL D. MOORE
GEO. A. McGEHEE

For Chancery Clerk.

GEORGE M. CAUSEY

For Treasurer.

DEWITT C. FELDER
AMANDON (Jack) BRADLEY
GEO. M. TURNIPSEED, JR.
CHAS. K. BAHAM
J. CALVIN ANDERS

For Supervisor—1st District.

IVERSON G. LEA
S. C. STOKES
IVE. R. JONES

For Supervisor—5th District.

HERMAN H. FELDER
ALEX STEWART
DREW J. WALL, JR.

For Supervisor—2nd District

A. W. JONES.

By inadvertence we omitted to state in our last issue that Justice Melton of Zion Hill, sat with Justice Carroll in the W. J. case.

Woman, according to tradition, is but a man's "do—but WHAT a rib she has proved to be."

A Brookline woman who is noted for being rather pompous stopped at the home of a woman who occasionally helped her out with heavy house work. She went on to explain very patronizingly: "It is to be a great day for us at our home. My daughter comes out tomorrow night."

"You don't say so! Well, well, so does my husband. He's been in for a month."

Hon. R. E. Jackson Presents His Platform.

To the Voters of Amite County:

Having stated when I announced some weeks ago that I would later publish my platform upon which I expected to make the race for the office of State Senator for this the 7th Senatorial District, including the counties of Amite and Wilkinson, I take this opportunity to promulgate the ideas of State government to the voters of this state.

When a man offers himself for a candidate for any office within the gift of his people it becomes his duty, first to ascertain the principles upon which he seeks the votes of the people. It should be his aim to declare himself plainly, frankly and unequivocally, and unless he does, his candidacy should be regarded with a degree of suspicion. When a candidate so declares himself, then it is the personal duty of each and every citizen to note carefully and conscientiously the principles advocated by the aspirant, to compare such principles with his past record, and if he may believe him to be, first honest, second capable, then cast his ballot for the nearest rebusing his views on all public questions.

It is the duty of the legislator to enact laws that correspond to the wishes of the whole people, and whatever he does, as a part of such legislature, it should be for the carrying out of the wishes of his constituents, remembering at all times that he is merely their servant. When elected to office he becomes merely a spokesman to carry out the will and wishes of the people, and as their agent or representative he should be absolutely responsive to their will and wishes; without this, popular government will perish, and government of, for and by the people will live in name only. Coupled with this it he who fails and refuses to carry out the wishes of his people, then the people should have repudiated in them the constitutional right by petition to recall him from such office and replace him with another.

A struggle is now on throughout the confides of our American land between popular government and representative government. The people are the source of all power under a Democratic form of government, and are absolutely capable of governing themselves, and it is nothing but right that they should be given the constitutional right to initiate any law they wish, and also the sum-right should be given the Legislature to refer all laws passed by such body back to the people to vote upon before it becomes a law. In this the will of the people will not in any case be defeated, and the matchless form of Democratic government conceived by the brilliant brain of the immortal Jefferson will be forever established.

Every officeholder, delegate or representative of the people should be elected by popular vote to hold such office.

All questions arising in and before the Legislature should be voted on by open ballot, and as heretofore stated, whenever a question affects the Whole people it should be submitted to them to settle.

If I am elected your State Senator I shall be opposed to extravagant appropriations. I think it a bad policy to issue bonds to meet current expenses; where will it all end? I believe that each and every department of government should be run upon strictly economical lines, and at no time should we run the government on more than current receipts.

Mississippi being strictly an agricultural state I am in favor of building up and protecting her farming interests. I am in favor of some of the appropriations that have heretofore been going to state institutions, being used to build up rural schools and com-

munities generally.

I will advocate legislation designed to throw additional safeguards about the soil of Mississippi and preserve it so that Mississippi will have an opportunity in the future to acquire it. I believe that the land, the common heritage of all the people, should not be most polluted for speculative purposes, or by alien ownership, but that legislation should be so shaped as to encourage to its full extent the right of every man born into this world to till the soil and make a living out of it.

In connection with this I believe that the land-holding corporations should be restricted from gadding up the lands, and should be limited to \$1,000,000 capital.

I shall advocate any law which seeks to abolish all useless offices that have been created in recent years whereby these unnecessary offices are created at the expense not to the burden of the whole people who are the backbone of our government.

Our state should take immediate active steps and prevail over our national government to restrict foreign immigration, thereby preserving our lands bought with the price of blood and tears of our forefathers for future generations of native born men and women, and thereby perpetuating Democratic institutions.

Labor is worth, and when any man or set of men under the guise of a corporation or otherwise, seeks to rob the toiling masses of the just fruits of their labor, he is a robber, and unless the representatives of the people protect the rights of our common country they are unworthy of the confidence reposed in them and traitors to the cause of Justice and Right.

Every safeguard should be thrown around labor, and her protection should be guaranteed from the encroachments of corporate wealth.

We owe it to ourselves and to the name of the Southland to make adequate appropriations for those men who withstood the storms of battles and wrote their name in blood in the 60s. They stand today like silent sentinels in the forests, silently telling us of a civilization that is gone, and we should consider it a glorious privilege to see that they are amply provided for in their last days by liberal and substantial pensions.

I wish to say in conclusion that I hope to meet as many of the voters as I can and make myself thoroughly understood on all questions of state issue, and if you think I will represent the Whole people and am honest and qualified, I solicit your vote and influence, and if I am elected it will be on my own merits, if I possess any, and not on the merits or demerits of any one else. I shall enter the office unhampered by any promise to any man save and except to do my Whole duty to the Whole people as God in His Infinite Wisdom gives me the light to see it, always keeping in mind that the Whole people of the great state of Mississippi are the source of all power.

Medicines that aid nature are always most successful. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy acts on this plan, it loosens the cough, relieves the lungs, opens the secretions and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Sold by all dealers.

Some people never allow the little troubles of life to worry them, while others magnify these small troubles until they gain the magnitude of mountains.

In times past this particular affliction, which is showing such a marked increase today, was attributed to excessive consumption of meats, fish and eggs. If worry predisposes humanity to such a scourge as cancer, in addition to all the other ills for which it is held responsible, it is quite plain that the earth has few evils so great or so general.

Where contagion and heredity slay their thousands, worry kills its hundreds of thousands. Worry leads to insanity and to suicide. Many a man's life has been snuffed out because he has brooded over imaginary troubles, and has worried himself into a state of desperation. Worry prepares the way to consumption, as even the physician of the most meagre knowledge will admit. Worry shatters the nervous system, and is thus the forerunner of a hundred complaints which lower vi-

JUDGE M. H. WILKINSON

Has Narrow Escape From Death—Swallows Tam-o'-Shanter by Mistake.

Natchez, Miss., March 28.—

Through mistake this morning Judge Moses Wilkinson drank three ounces of ammonia and is now in Chamberlain's Sanitarium with his tongue, mouth and throat badly burned and blistered, though his condition is no means serious. He was to have held court today, the April term having opened yesterday, the grand jury organized, charged and in full working order, the petit jury for the week selected and several cases were docketed for today, but the judge did not appear, whereupon the court stenographer, N. S. Cruise, went to the Natchez Hotel and repaired to Judge Wilkinson's room. There he found the judge fully dressed lying across the bed, his face almost purple and features distorted with pain. Judge Wilkinson told Mr. Cruise that he had gone to a drug store to get some aromatic spirits of ammonia for dyspepsia, but without thinking what he was saying he merely asked the clerk for some ammonia. Returning to his room he drank the stuff without noticing his label, and found that he had taken crude ammonia. Dr. Chamberlain was summoned and advised removal to the sanitarium, where he is now resting as comfortably as could be expected.

Judge Wilkinson's numerous friends in Liberty deeply regret the unfortunate accident, and sincerely rejoice in the fact that it will not prove fatal.

WEBBS RESTAURANT

North Side East Main St.
In addition to regular meals I will endeavor to have on hand

FISH AND OYSTERS
DAILY DURING SEASON

W. M. WEBB.

NOTICE.

I have just received a lot of stove material for repairing old stoves. Any one wishing their old stoves made as good as new call on J. A. Beard Sr., on Main street down on West End at the old stand.

What Worry Does.

No one has ever yet succeeded in finding the cause of cancer, but Dr. Snow, of London, the distinguished opponent of vivisection, who is on a visit to New York, says that worry is responsible for the disease.

This may or may not be true, but it is generally conceded that more people die from worry than most any other known cause.

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tality, produce suffering and result in an untimely end.

It is just as well to allow the statement of this eminent surgeon to go unchallenged. If worry is the cause of so many deaths and so many diseases it may be responsible for cancer also.

One thing is certain. Cancer instead of decreasing is making much progress. Where there was one case, a few years ago, there are now ten. What is the cause of the sudden increase no one seems able to say. The Cancer Institute in New York is conducted without a thought of expense. The wisest men of science have been studying for years but they can go so far and no further. Their methods of treatment are logical and do much good, but they have never found the real cause or cure.

Progress in sanitary science, in surgery and in medical practice has lengthened the average span of life, in spite of conditions which undeniably increase the sum of worry. In fact worry is the price that many pay for the advantages which they enjoy.

Indolence, ignorance, intemperance and crime have only a speaking acquaintance with worry. It usually is associated with the aspiring and conscientious and this is an argument in favor of the theory of Dr. Snow, for cancer is not a respecter of persons.

Commercial-Appeal.

Saturday, March 25th, Field Day for Amite county public schools was very pleasant in spite of the fact that the sun refused to shine and the rain came down in torrents.

The Literary contest at the school building in the morning was a decided success. The athletic contest in the afternoon having to be postponed on account of the weather the band of Chamberlain-Hunt Academy entertained the crowd with a minstrel, which was repeated in the evening. The music under the direction of a Liberty boy, Rola, C. McGeehee, was well rendered, showing careful training. The jokes being new and out of the ordinary brought much applause. By invitation of the B. Y. P. U. the band furnished the music for their program on Sunday afternoon. The boys by their gentlemanly conduct made many friends while here, who will welcome them to our town again.

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Non-Resident Summons.

State of Mississippi.

To Enos Huff:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable Chancery Court of said county and state, in the town of Liberty, on the 1st Monday of July, A. D. 1911, to defend the suit of Mrs. Florence Huff for divorce, wherein you are defendant.

Witness my hand and seal of said court, this the 11th day of March 1911.

G. M. CAUSEY, Clerk.

County Examinations.

County examination for whites April 7th and 8th, and 21st and 22d; for colored, 14th and 15th and 28th and 29th.

Examination to begin at 8:15 a.m.

JOE A. BURRIS, Co. Supt.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are safe, sure and reliable, and have been praised by thousands of women who have been restored to health through their gentle aid and curative properties. Sold by all dealers.

ESTRAY NOTICES

Strayed before Justice Wall one dark red heifer yearling one year old; marked with red fork and underbit in right ear and split in left. Appraised at \$6.50 by Geo. R. Smith and J. R. Harvey. Will be sold 1st Monday in April 1911.

Taken up by W. J. Andrews one cow and calf; one red marked swallow fork in right ear, 7 years old, calf red. Appraised at Twenty dollars by D. E. Quin and W. M. Newman. Will be sold first Monday in May.

Taken up by E. A. Hinton one cow; one crumpled horn; one broken off ten or twelve years old. Appraised at Eight dollars by L. L. Tolier and Willie Tolier. Will be sold first Monday in May.

C. F. HARRELL, Ranger.

BRIDGE TO LET.

Specifications for rebuilding the bridge across Amite near Eastfork placed on file in Clerk's office. By order Board of Supervisors, Amite county, Miss. G. M. Causey, Clerk.

Trustee's Sale.

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Trustee by the provisions of a certain deed of trust, bearing date of the 23rd day of March A. D. 1907, and signed and executed by J. S. Hayman and his wife Matilda Hayman, to me as trustee, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, I, Fred J. Martens, will on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1911, at the front door of the court house in Liberty county of Amite, state of Mississippi, proceed to sell for cash, at public auction, to the highest bidder, the following described land, to-wit:

The south half of south west quarter of south east quarter section one, and north west quarter of north east quarter of section 12, all in township 4, range 5, and 12 acres in north west quarter of north west quarter section 12, township 4, range 6, containing 72 acres more or less. Also one bay horse male about 9 years old named John.

Fred J. Martens, Trustee,
Will A. Parsons, Attorney,
3-24-41

REGISTRATION NOTICE.

In compliance with Section 4122 of the Mississippi Code of 1906, I, the undersigned Registrar of Amite County, will be at the following voting precincts on the days and hours named below in this notice, or the purpose of registering all persons—males—who have arrived at the age of 21 years since the last election or will be 21 years of age at the next election to be held in this county in November next, and who are not already registered voters of this county: